

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION

BAKER HUGHES INCORPORATED,
et al.,

Plaintiffs,

VS.

DANIEL S. HOMA, *et al.*,

Defendants.

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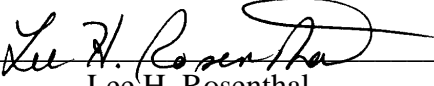
CIVIL ACTION NO. 11-3757

ORDER

Baker Hughes Incorporated and Baker Hughes Oilfield Operations, Inc. (collectively, “BHI”) have filed a trade-secrets lawsuit against two of its former employees, Daniel S. Homa and Robert W. Harman; FCTech, Inc., Homa and Harman’s new employer; FCT Fiber Cable Technology GmbH; and NBG Systems GmbH. Homa, Harman, and FCTech have filed a motion to compel BHI to identify a specific list of trade secrets, (Docket Entry No. 28), so as to be in compliance with the court’s previous order that BHI “submit a revised list of what it contends are trade secrets, identified with as much specificity as possible,” (Docket Entry No. 23). Homa, Harman, and FCTech assert that “[t]here is a fundamental difference between providing a list of trade secrets and merely providing a list of areas in which there are trade secrets.” (Docket Entry No. 28, at 1).

BHI must respond to the motion to compel, (*id.*), by 5:00 p.m. on December 1, 2011. A hearing on the motion will be held at **8:00 a.m. on December 2, 2011** in Courtroom 11-B.

SIGNED on November 29, 2011, at Houston, Texas.



Lee H. Rosenthal
United States District Judge